



## **Indiana Professional Standards Board**

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### **Friday Update: April 16, 2004**

#### **Beginning Teacher Assessment Inventory and Statement of Beginning Teacher's Principal**

As in previous years, the eight question Beginning Teacher Assessment Inventory and Statement of Beginning Teacher's Principal forms are to be used for the beginning teachers with Rules 46/47 licenses who are completing the internship. This process is unchanged and those forms are due in this office by May 15th. For the folks on the Rules 2002 Initial Practitioner License, the assessment at the end of year two replaces this process.

The forms are all here <http://www.in.gov/psb/beginningteachers/internship/formsanddocs.html>

#### **Educational Testing Service**

ETS has instituted a toll free number specifically for test takers from the U.S. and its territories: **1-800-772-9476**. This service is available from 8:00 a.m. to 7:45 p.m. Eastern Standard Time.

For those individuals who register for a retest before they have received their score report, they will receive an automatic refund of their registration and test fees, if they find that they have passed the test. This activity will begin with tests taken in April. This has been a problem because the test registration deadline often occurs before the score reports are received. This process should occur automatically and will require no action on the part of the candidate.

#### **Director of Assessment**

The IPSB is currently seeking applicants for the Director of Assessment. The Director of Assessment is responsible for the administration, technical assistance and management of:

- Preservice teacher testing
- Indiana mentoring and assessment program for teachers and administrators
- Continuing education and license renewals for professional educators

The position requires a broad understanding of performance-based assessment as it applies to licensing of education professionals.

This position reports to the Agency's Executive Director and supervises support staff as assigned. An advanced degree and experience in a field related to P-12, Higher Education or Assessment Evaluation is preferred. Please submit pertinent materials to be considered; salary requirement must be included.

Submit to:  
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*If Indiana students are to achieve high standards, there must be  
competent, caring, and qualified educators to get them there.*

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